	Partial List of Drownings on Deer Creek Reservoir:
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	Tragic Drowning at Deer Creek On Saturday the 8th of July, Jorge Narvaez 15 years old of New York, drowned in Deer Creek Reservoir near Rainbow Bay.
	According to accounts by Wasatch County Search & Rescue members the young man was on a raft with his uncle. Apparently he fell out of the raft. When his uncle attempted to
	pull him back into the raft he also fell in the water. Young Jorge who could not swim and was not wearing a life vest, disappeared under the water. Wasatch County Search & Rescue's newly
	formed Dive Team, on their first mission, found the young man's body early Sunday morning.

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Deer Creek Claims Life Of Boy, 15



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Jorge Navaez, 15, a resident of New York, drowned Saturday evening at Deer Creek Reservoir. According to relatives, the victim was vacationing in Utah visiting his aunt and uncle when the

tragedy occurred.

Eye-witness Dana Distefano, a girlfriend of the victim's cousin, said Navaez and his uncle, Carlos Izurieta, 37, Orem, were floating on a two-man inflatable raft approximately 50 yards from shore in the Rainbow Bay area of Deer Creek. A 12-year-old cousin was on another raft. Navaez jumped in the water and was swimming along-side the raft when he lost his shoe.

"Jorge got a cramp in his leg and I told him that I would get his shoe. When I leaned over to reach the shoe, the boat tipped over," stated Izurieta. "Jorge panicked and grabbed at me then started swimming toward shore."

A bystander, Luis Ribeiro, of Provo, saw the pair were in trouble and swam out about 30 yards to help. "By the time I reached Carlos, the boy had already gone under," Ribeiro said

911 was called and the Sheriff's Department, Search and Rescue and Park Rangers responded to the call. Efforts to locate the body ensued immediately. Dive teams were sent out and the rescue efforts continued through 11:30 p.m. Saturday night. The body was located at 8:45 a.m. on Sunday using Search and Rescue's underwater camera and was recovered at 9:00 a.m. According to Sheriff Mike Spanos, the body was in 25 feet of water.

"Neither the uncle, nor victim knew how to swim and were not wearing life preservers," Sheriff Spanos said. "This death could have been avoided had they been wear-

ing life jackets."

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